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Date: October 27, 2006 Name: Tadashi Horie Reg. No. 40,437 Signature:

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of: Mitsuhiro TOMINAGA

Appln. No.: 10/792,343

Filed: March 3, 2004

For: TRANSFER TOOL

Attorney Docket No: 12401/3

Examiner: Mark A. Osele

Art Unit: 1734

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached is/are:

- A Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Amendment (6 pages); Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (in duplicate); Check for \$120
- Return Receipt Postcard

Fee calculation:

- No additional fee is required.
- Small Entity.
- An extension fee in an amount of \$120 for a 1-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(______).
- An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Not a Small Entity	
					Rate	Add'l Fee	or	Rate
Total	14	Minus	22	0	x \$25=		x \$50=	0
Indep.	1	Minus	1		x 100=		x \$200=	0
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+\$180=		+\$360=	
					Total	\$	Total	\$0

Fee payment:

- A check in the amount of \$120 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 in the amount of \$_____. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.
- Payment by credit card in the amount of \$_____. (Form PTO-2038 is attached).
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,


Tadashi Horie (Reg. No. 40,437)

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response the Office Action dated June 28, 2006, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this communication.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this communication.